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Delphiniums

CHOICEST
Seeds, Plants
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Summer and
Fall Planting



1936

PUDOR'S INC.

PUYALLUP, STATE OF WASHINGTON



*Like beautiful
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DUTCH and SPANISH BULBOUS IRIS

Can be grown
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*It has been found that
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*Beautiful
and Lasting
Cut Flowers*

FLOWERING BULBS IN ASSORTED COLORS

One dozen for
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Three dozen for
\$1.50
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SECTION 1

Perennial Flower Seed for Summer Sowing

ALL FLOWER SEEDS SENT POSTPAID

PLEASE DO NOTE!

As only such seeds as germinate well in our own establishment are supplied to customers, we will not and cannot accept responsibility for failure in the hands of others whose management, lack of equipment or lack of knowledge, may unconsciously be the cause of non-success.

ANEMONES

It is not generally realized how easily Anemones may be raised from seed, or how quickly they bloom from the time of sowing, if properly treated. As a rough guide, the actual time from sowing to flowering is about 7 months. There is little need for us to dwell on the beauty and usefulness of all Anemones, both for bedding and particularly for cutting. Their extremely bright, rich, and cheerful colorings make them most welcome as cut flowers.

CULTURE—When required for autumn display, sow under glass in February or early March, or indeed they may be sown outdoors during March given favorable weather conditions. For flowering the following spring, sow in a cold frame during the early summer. The seed is rather difficult to sow owing to its woolly, clinging nature, so it is best rubbed in sand to facilitate thin and even distribution. Anemones are not difficult or fastidious subjects, but it must be said that they prefer a well-prepared and fairly rich, though light soil.

PULSATILLA (The Pasque Flower). Hardy perennial; desirable early spring flower for the border or rockery. Easily raised from seed sown in July or August. Height 1 ft. Color violet. Seed, per pkt. 15c.

ST. BRIGID. These beautiful, brilliant flowers may be easily raised from seeds, sowing them early in spring in boxes or cold frames, or later out of doors, lightly covering them with a mixture of sandy loam and screened peat moss, thinning them out as they grow; entirely hardy. **Irish Creagh Castle Strain**, the largest flowered strain with the finest range of colors. Seeds, 1/16 oz. 75c; pkt. 20c.

Also to be had in bulbs for fall or very early spring planting (not later than April 1st). **JUMBO** size, 75c per doz.; 3 doz. for \$2, postpaid. First size, one year old bulbs (all will bloom), 50c per doz.; \$2 for fifty; \$3.50 for 100, postpaid.

PERENNIAL ALYSSUM

In order to have flowering plants next spring, seed must be sown this summer or early fall.

SAXATILE COMPACTUM. Yellow. April-May. One-half foot. Best grown as a hardy biennial and sown annually in July to keep plants neat looking; they bloom the following spring. Lovely in the border with blue Scillas. Seeds, pkt. 10c; 3 for 25c; 1/4 oz. 40c.

CITRINUM. Charming variety. Masses of lemon-yellow flowers. Dwarf, compact habit. Especially good for edging and rockery. One-half foot. April to June. Seeds, per pkt. 15c straight.

SERPILLIFOLIUM. Smallest and loveliest of the Alyssum. Gray foliage and lemon-yellow flowers. Seeds, per pkt. 20c.

ANCHUSA

ITALICA DROPMORE. Lovely gentian blue flowers. Fine for the border. Per pkt. 15c.

OPAL. A pale, beautiful shade of blue. Per pkt. 15c.

MYOSOTIDIFLORA. Siberian forget-me-not Anchusa in April and May. Per pkt. 20c.

ANTHEMIS

TINCTORIA. Perry's variety. Beautiful golden yellow Marguerites. Makes neat, compact clumps and will never become a nuisance in your garden. Per pkt. 20c.

AQUILEGIA

If you have difficulty with these seeds, remember that it takes 3 and 4 weeks for the seed to germinate. To insure a 90 per cent germination, cover seed bed with burlap and keep moist until germination starts.

CRIMSON STAR. The new bright crimson long spurred variety that has proven to be a sensation in England. The long spurs are a rich crimson and the center is white tinged carmine. The flowers measure 3 inches in diameter and are borne on graceful erect 2-foot stems. Comes quite true from seed and is highly recommended. Pkt. 20c; 1/16 oz. 75c.

DOBBIE'S IMPERIAL HYBRIDS. The finest long spurred mixture yet introduced. By careful selection from the originator's stock we have a strain that shows a wide variety of rich and pastel tints in extra long spurred, perfectly formed flowers. The most popular item that we list. Pkt. 15c; 1/8 oz. 75c; 1/16 oz. 40c.

AQUILEGIA CAERULEA. The lovely blue Colorado Rocky Mountain Columbine. Comes true from seed. Will not thrive in light, dry, sandy soil. Collected Colorado seed, per pkt. 15c; 2 pkts. 25c; 1/16 oz. 40c.

MRS. SCOTT ELLIOTT STRAIN. A dependable and recommended strain of fine long spurred Columbine. A pleasing mixture of pink, red, buff, deep purple, blue, yellow and white. The quality of this strain is kept at a high standard. 1/8 oz. 60c; 1/16 oz. 35c; per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c.

SNOW QUEEN. A tall, long spurred, pure white variety with extra long spurs of a slight flesh pink shade giving the flower a lovely appearance. 1/16 oz. 40c; 2 pkts. 25c; per pkt. 15c.

BLUE KING. (2 ft.) A much improved strain, the result of many years' careful selection. The **VIVID DEEP BLUE** flowers are very large with extra long spurs. This strain comes about 90% true. Seeds, 1/16 oz. 50c; 2 pkts. 25c; per pkt. 15c.

UNWINS SWEET SCENTED HYBRIDS (New). 2½ feet. They produced this new and distinct race by crossing the Long-Spurred type with a very large broad-cupped, scented species from Northern India. In the main, these hybrids are large-flowered and long-spurred, while a very big percentage possess a delicate perfume closely resembling that of the scented peonies. Though practically all the colors which are found in the Long-Spurred hybrids are included, most of the seedlings are lavender, mauve or blue in various tones, with bold white and yellow cups. Pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c.

PEARSON'S PINK SHADES. A true strain of Coral Pink only; long spurs. 1/16 oz. 40c; 2 pkts. 25c; per pkt. 15c.

PEARSON'S YELLOW SHADES. A primrose-yellow, sepals a little darker; a lovely long-spurred Columbine. 2 pkts. 25c; per pkt. 15c; 1/16 oz. 40c.

CHRYSANTHEMUM MAXIMUM

Shasta Daisy or Moonpenny

DOUBLE SHASTA DAISY (Diener's Strain). This distinctive novelty has become widely popular since its recent introduction. The shaggy, full double flowers of glistening white are a picture in the border, and make creditable cut flowers. It is hardy and a robust grower. It will show about 50% true doubles from seed. Pkt. 25c; 1/16 oz. \$1.00.

MRS. C. LOWTHIAN BELL. Purest white, 6 inches across on long stems, continues to bloom until October. 1/8 oz. 50c; per pkt. 15c.



DIENER'S NEW GIANT DOUBLE WHITE SHASTA DAISY

CAMPANULA

The Campanulas are a very interesting and useful family in the rockery and garden. The Canterbury Bells, the Chimney Bell Flower, Coventry Bells, Harebells, are some of the common names by which these splendid varieties are known. In the following list you will find a wide and choice assortment of the recommended varieties for the American garden. The following varieties are biennials.

MEDIUM. CANTERBURY BELL. Single. Blue, white, deep lilac and rosy-carmine in separate colors. 2 pkts. 25c; all 4 colors 40c; per pkt. 15c.

MEDIUM. CANTERBURY BELL. Double. In same colors as above. 3 for 60c; per pkt. 25c.

CALYCANTHEMA. Cup and saucer type. Every garden should grow these handsome biennial flowers. Same colors as above. Separate. 2 pkts. 25c; per pkt. 15c.

CANTERBURY BELLS PUDOR'S PRIZE MIXTURE. Comprising all colors of single and double and cup and saucer. Unsurpassed. 1/16 oz. 25c; per pkt. 10c.

The following varieties are perennials.

CARPATICA. The lovely blue Carpathian Harebell. Good for rockery. Per pkt. 10c.

CARPATICA ALBA. The white form of the above. Per pkt. 10c.

PERSICIFOLIA "FAIRY QUEEN". The lovely peach-leaved bell-flower. Azure blue. 2 pkts. 25c; per pkt. 15c.

PERSICIFOLIA "TELHAM BEAUTY". The largest bells of china blue. Per pkt. 20c.

PERSICIFOLIA GRANDIFLORA ALBA. Largest white flowers. Per pkt. 15c.

CHEIRANTHUS

ALLIONII (Siberian Wallflower). Rich orange flowers, continuous flowering, sweetly scented. 3 pkts. 25c; per pkt. 10c.

CYNOGLOSSUM

C. NERVOSUM. A very fine novelty. One of the true blue perennials of recent introduction. Award of Merit Royal Horticultural Society. Like a miniature anchusa, 12 to 18 inches high with handsome brilliant blue flowers in great profusion. Seed, per pkt. 15c; 2 for 25c.

DIANTHUS

Dianthus, with its many unusual and interesting varieties, should be used more in the rockery and border. They are easy from seed, and give a wealth of color and charm to the garden. Many bloom the first season, and all the second year.

ALWOODI ALPINUS. A splendid new hybrid of dwarf nature with many large doubles and fancy singles. Exquisite coloring for the rock garden. 6 inches. Per pkt. 25c.

BARBATUS (Sweet William). Finest mixture. 3 pkts. for 25c; per pkt. 10c.

BARBATUS (Pink Beauty). Beautiful shades from salmon pink to richest shades of salmon-red. 3 pkts. 25c; per pkt. 10c.

BARBATUS (Scarlet Beauty). Vivid salmon-scarlet. 3 pkts. 25c; per pkt. 10c.

SWEET WIVELSFIELD. A fine hybrid with extra large flowers in a brilliant mixture. Many are delicately fringed. Superb as a cut flower. 15 inches. Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c.

WINTERI. Striking new Pinks, deliciously scented, that are ideal for the rockery. Compact, glaucous foliage. Well formed flowers in a grand color combination. Quite hardy and will bloom first season. First Class Certificate by the Royal Horticultural Society. Pkt. 20c.

DELTOIDES SUPERBUS (Major Stern's Variety). An interesting and beautiful rock Pink with greyish foliage and countless masses of dainty little flowers, varying on the same plant from white through pink to crimson. A most gay and entertaining novelty. Per pkt. 20c.

DIGITALIS (Foxglove)

CANARIENSIS. Canary yellow. Per pkt. 20c.

LITZ'S HYBRIDS. Novelty. Salmon-pink shades. 1/16 oz. 35c; 2 pkts. 25c; per pkt. 15c.

THE SHIRLEY. Magnificent strain, enormous flowers from pure white to deepest rose. Mixed. 3 pkts. 25c; per pkt. 10c.

ALBA. A pure white, lovely Foxglove, makes a beautiful showing among shrubbery. Pkt. 15c; 2 pkts. for 25c.



A PUDOR'S "PRIZE WINNER"

PUDOR'S "PRIZE WINNER" DELPHINIUM STRAIN

SEEDS FROM PRIZE WINNER STRAIN, only in best mixture from CHOICEST SELECTED plants: Per pkt. of approx. 200 seeds, \$1.00; also put up in 1/2 pkts. at 60c; 1/16 oz. (3 times as much as a whole pkt.) \$1.50. New seed crop ready last of July or first of August. If all conditions right should germinate in 10 days.

FROM A GENERAL FIELD RUN OF OUR PRIZE WINNER STRAIN. A very good mixture; we destroy all mediocre plants every summer. Per pkt. of approx. 200 seeds, 50c. Not put up in 1/2 pkts. 1/16 oz. (3 times as much) \$1.00. You will get many beauties from this low priced mixture, mostly double, in light and dark shades.

Special Notice: These seeds will germinate equally well in the Spring in 2 to 3 weeks, and will make blooming size plants the same season.

OUR "PEDIGREED" PRIZE WINNER STRAIN

Carefully selected and pollenized. Marvelous results may be expected. The choicest Delphinium seed you can possibly obtain. Per pkt. of 200 seeds, \$2; one-half pkt. \$1. Not sold in less quantities.

SEPARATE COLORS

We find there is a demand for Delphinium seeds from LIGHT and MEDIUM SHADES: FINEST MIXTURE "A", DARK AND PLUM PURPLE shades: finest MIXTURE "B". We have selected some 50 of the best plants in those shades and are offering this year such seeds at 50c for a full pack; 30c for 1/2 pack; 1/16 oz. (3 times as much) at \$1.00. In ordering be sure and state which shade you want, A or B.

TRUE BLUE DELPHINIUMS

There has been of recent years some complaint from lovers of Delphiniums to the effect that growers are getting away from BLUE, and that BLUE is the only color required in Delphiniums.

Admitting that during the past few years there has been a predominance of mauve, lavender and purple shades in double flowers especially, greatly admired by many gardeners, we have not lost sight of the true blue Delphiniums which are mostly found among the singles, a double all-blue Delphinium without a fleck of mauve or lavender being a rarity, and with that in mind, we have made up a seed mixture from single and semi-double and fully double

ALL SELF BLUE AND SKY BLUE VARIETIES

—with mostly small white eyes, a few with black eyes. From this mixture you should get a large percentage of TRUE BLUE DELPHINIUMS. Seed, per pkt. 75c; 1/2 size 40c; 1/16 oz. \$1.50.

BLACKMORE & LANGDON HOME GROWN. Seed from their finest novelties, grown by us. Gorgeous shades of blue and deep rich purples. Home grown. 1/2 oz. \$6.00; 1/4 oz. \$3.50; 1/8 oz. \$2.00; 1/16 oz. \$1.00; per pkt. (approx. 200 seeds) 50c.

NOTICE. Seedlings you will raise from any of the above Delphinium Hybrids will almost certainly vary. Some should equal the parents (they could hardly excel them) and none are likely to be poor.

1/16 oz. of Delphinium seed contains over 3 times as many seeds as one whole pack; approximately 700 seeds. Whole packs contain fully 200 seeds (not counted); 1/2 pack over 100 seeds. Half packs are only available where so quoted.

Sheboygan, Wisconsin, March 18, 1936.

Gentlemen:

I certainly had wonderful results with your "Prize Winner" last summer, none was all-ways more lovely than the other. The white seeds I had ordered late, came up fine, so I hardly can wait to see them in bloom.

When you say that the flowers are as big as a Silver Dollar, well that isn't quite true, because most of the flowers are one dollar and a half size, really marvels.

Very truly yours,

MRS. CHARLES N.

SOMETHING INTERESTING TO PLAY WITH

Seed from Our Beautiful Fully Double Blues and Violets

PARENT PLANT, "MOTHER OF PEARL"
GRANDPARENT, A DOUBLE PURE WHITE

The size and color of the blossoms are extraordinary—some of the finest things we have ever raised and we have certainly grown some very fine delphiniums, our own strain and all of the best English named varieties. Many individual blooms are over 3 inches in diameter, some are fluted, some frilled, some are aster-shaped, many hooded, many had beautiful prominent brown and black bees and all are remarkably sturdy and healthy specimens, free from mildew. You will be thrilled with the seedlings which you will raise from these seeds. ASK FOR SEED FROM THE BLUE 55/66 SEEDLINGS.

Per pkt. of 200 seeds, \$1.00; 1/2 pkt. 50c; 1/16 oz. (3 times as much as a full pack) \$2.00.

DON'T BE DISCOURAGED! DON'T GIVE UP!

If BLACK ROT or ROOT ROT kills your Tall Delphinium Hybrids—
IF YOU LIVE IN TOO WARM A COUNTRY so Your Plants Die
Annually — THEN GROW THE BEAUTIFUL BELLA
DONNA DELPHINIUMS AND SUCCEED!

You want the beautiful blues in your garden, you want a graceful bushy plant that will provide you with lovely graceful cutting material for your house throughout the summer, plants that will live and thrive and are not too finicky, not growing out of bounds 6 to 8 feet tall, at the mercy of every windstorm, then, dear friend, grow the modern, beautiful BELLA DONNA HYBRIDS and don't turn them down. They ALWAYS come true to color, both from seeds and seedlings, ALWAYS that HEAVENLY BLUE AZURE color, or a rich cobalt blue, without any other blue or mauve shades. A real "Delphinium Blue". Easy to grow from seeds (never any failure) and easy to take care of in your garden afterwards. We offer seeds of the following sterling varieties:

CLIVEDEN BEAUTY & FANNY STORMONTH are almost identical. A clear azure blue. 1/16 oz. 40c; 2 pkts. 25c; per pkt. 15c.

BLUE GROTTTO. An English early variety; deep indigo blue. 1/16 oz. 40c; 2 pkts. 25c; per pkt. 15c.

LAMARTINE. An English variety, not often seen in this country; a fine gentian blue, a distinct color of rather dwarf habit (3 ft.) 1/16 oz. 75c; per pkt. 20c.

BELLAMOSUM IMPROVED. Large deep blue flowers uniform in color with a white bee. Blooms 2 1/2 inches across. The result of ten years of careful selection. 1/8 oz. 80c; 1/16 oz. 45c; per pkt. 15c.

BELLA DONNA PUDOR'S "SAPPHIRE". A beautiful seedling which appeared some two years ago among a large planting of "Cliveden Beauty". It is darker than the azure blue of Cliveden Beauty, yet lighter than the cobalt blue of Bellamosum or Formosum. A beautiful brilliant clear sapphire-blue, so much desired in a delphinium. It comes about 90% true to color, about 10% being of a lighter shade. Per pkt. of about 50 seeds, 25c. All should germinate.

GET THIS VALUABLE BOOKLET!

Missouri Botanical Garden Bulletin, entitled
"GROWING PLANTS FROM SEEDS"

Handsomely illustrated with 29 photographs, showing the whole process of sowing seeds to the transplanting of the seedlings. It is by far the best bulletin on the subject we have ever seen. Through the courtesy of the Botanical Garden, we were given special permission to reprint this bulletin. Price 15c. Ask for it. It is sent free with all seed orders amounting to \$1.50 or more, if asked for with the order.

Brooklyn Botanical Gardens Leaflets. Concise, valuable hints on The Planting and Cultivation of Perennials. Ask for Bulletin No. 6.

Starting Perennials from Seed. Ask for Bulletin No. 7.

Five cents each—Be sure and give the number you want. Free with all seed orders amounting to \$1.00 up, if asked for with the order. If mailed separate, 5 cents each bulletin.

Greenwich, Connecticut,
January 24, 1936.

Your delphinium seed "Pedigreed" prize winner strain which I planted in my cold frame March 16th, 1935, came up almost 100%, and in such blooms and plants I have never seen before! One heavenly, deep blue with lavenderish overlay was 7 feet 2 inches tall. Can you imagine such results from a tiny seed in one season? All of your seed were fine. With everything I plant myself my success has been wonderful—thanks to your seed.

MRS. H. M. C.



From one tiny seed of our "PEDIGREED" PRIZE WINNER DELPHINIUM STRAIN, planted in 1934, there developed inside of two years a plant, which carried this June, 1936, six of these magnificent flower stalks.

Note, nearly the whole stalk is in full bloom at one time, only the very tip having a few unopened buds.

Length of entire stalk 7 feet, of the flowering stalk, 3 feet. Size of each individual blossom (or pip) fully 2 1/2 inches, much larger than a silver dollar which is only 1 1/2 inches in diameter.

The seeds from this plant will be mixed in with our PEDIGREED PRIZE WINNER: Per pack of 200 seeds \$2; 1/2 pack \$1.

IN A COMPETITION OF 340 EXHIBITS OF EXCEPTIONAL MERIT, PUDOR'S PRIZE WINNER DELPHINIUM STRAIN PROVE AGAIN BLUE RIBBON WINNERS.

Just as we were going to press, we received the following letter under date of June 16th, 1936, from a St. Louis customer:

"It may be of interest to you to know that DELPHINIUMS grown from SEED secured from your firm stole the Kirkwood Flower Show on May 30th. The Kirkwood Show is the best staged flower show in this community (Webster Groves, St. Louis), and the exhibits are always high class, so the writer is very proud of the honor which was shown us.

"The plant from which the stalks were taken is two years old. We were given the BLUE RIBBON for the best of the species; the yellow ribbon for exceptional merit, and they were adjudged the best plants grown out of doors. When you consider that the competition consisted of 340 exhibits of exceptional merit you can be justly proud of your Delphinium Strain."

J. W. K.

Webster Groves, Mo., June 16, 1936.

The Day of Really Good Pure-White Delphiniums Has Arrived

**America's Well-Known and First Delphinium Hybridizer, COLONEL N. F. VANDERBILT of California,
After Having Grown and Tested All Other White Strains, Says the Following:**

For long years I have tested each new "strain" of white Delphiniums as it appeared, including yours. I have missed a vigor and general plant balance desired, until present showing of your very fine "WHITE WONDER STRAIN" the past season; they fully satisfy me in comparison with all other whites tested. I believe I have tried them all. Yours are balanced plants and excel in vigor, resistance, spike-form and length, CLEAR WHITENESS and well formed centers, and much better size and texture than I have before seen. They ARE "Wonders".

Some of the growers seem still to be fooling along with the variety called "Iceberg" for whites, which is very poor. YOURS STAND OUT AMONGST THEM NOW LIKE A FIR TREE TO A HAZEL BUSH.

Signed at San Rafael, Calif., September 28, 1935.

N. F. VANDERBILT.

PUDOR'S WHITE DELPHINIUM HYBRIDS

(Original Hoodacre Strain 1931)

**THE DAY OF GOOD PURE WHITE, VIGOROUS DELPHINIUMS
HAS ARRIVED—IT IS HERE!**

Plants are 5 to 8 feet tall; some varieties are milky white, some glistening white, some with light centers, some with black ones, a few with golden brown ones.

Germination of the seeds is fully as good as from the blues, seedlings are vigorous and healthy; no more sickly, shiny foliage like we used to get from some of the blue hybrids.

We are collecting this seed from some 50 of our very choicest parent plants, all large double, pure white blossoms. Some better than last year's.

FIRST GRADE. Per pkt. of approx. 200 seeds (not counted) \$2.00; 1/2 pkt. of approx. 100 seeds (not counted) \$1.00; 1/16 oz. (3 times as much as a full pkt.) \$4.00.

SECOND GRADE, but a very good mixture from promising young white seedlings. Price, 75c per pkt.

PLEASE NOTE: These white seeds will produce some 10 to 25% of blues, but of remarkable colors; some new wonderful breaks: once and a while mother of pearl colors.



PUDOR'S "WHITE WONDER" DELPHINIUM
Pure white, actual size 3 inches.

Pudor's White Wonder Delphiniums

(See Photograph)

We gave this seedling plant, discovered in our field in 1933 among a lot of white seedlings, the appropriate name of "WHITE WONDER" which undoubtedly it is: A WONDER! Only a very small quantity of seed is available from these plants this summer, some already contracted for. The color is a pure, clear glistening white, the habit of the plant, six feet tall, vigorous and strong. Seed, per pkt. of 200 seeds \$3.00; 1/2 pkt. \$1.50.

Notice—In case we are sold out of this seed when your order reaches us, we will substitute with our First Grade White seed, at prices quoted, unless you say not to.

"Black-Velvet-Eyed" White Delphiniums

We have a number of very fine, pure white Delphiniums, with a strikingly beautiful black velvety eye or center; these should produce a percentage of similar seedlings. We are offering some seed from these particularly handsome and striking WHITES at \$2.50 per pkt. of 200 seeds; \$1.25 for 1/2 size packet. Please be particular to state in your order: "Seed from Black-Velvet-Eyed Whites".

We are offering seedlings from these this fall; see page 13.



PUDOR'S BLACK-VELVET-EYED WHITE DELPHINIUM

GEUM

LADY STRATHEDEN. Rich golden yellow double flowers. Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c.

MRS. BRADSHAW. Large semi-double orange-scarlet. Per pkt. 10c.

PRINCE OF ORANGE. A grand novelty in a striking shade of deep orange. The flowers are double and of extra size. A fine spot of color for the rockery. 18 inches. Pkt. 20c.

GYPSOPHILA (Lime Lovers)

PANICULATA FL. PL. "SNOW WHITE". Easy to raise from seed, blooms the first year if sown early. Mostly double flowers. 1/16 oz. 50c; per pkt. 25c.

PACIFICA. A new pink Baby's Breath. Very fine. Per pkt. 20c.

HELIANTHEMUM (Rock Rose)

Finest mixture of these indispensable rock plants. 2 pkts. 25c; per pkt. 15c.

HOLLYHOCKS

TRIUMPH DOUBLE. New, early flowering strain, containing a great variety of new colors. The flowers are gracefully waved and fringed. We think this a wonderful Hollyhock. 1/16 oz. \$1.25; per pkt. 25c.

NEWPORT PINK. Beautiful double pure pink flowers. 1/4 oz. 50c; 2 pkts. 25c; per pkt. 15c.

DOUBLE YELLOW. Clear yellow. 1/4 oz. 50c; 2 pkts. 25c; per pkt. 15c.

ENGLISH PRIZE MIXTURE. Chater's strain-extra. 1/4 oz. 40c; per pkt. 15c.

SINGLE MIXTURE of beautiful colors. 1/4 oz. 40c; per pkt. 15c.

IBERIS (Candytuft)

GIBALTARICA. Flowers white tinged lilac. 3 pkts. 25c; per pkt. 10c.

SEMPERVIRENS. Pure white flowers, evergreen habit. A gem. 1/8 oz. 40c; 2 pkts. 25c; per pkt. 15c.

IRIS, JAPANESE

KAEMPFERI HYBRIDS. Rich, damp soil. Choicest mixed varieties. 1/8 oz. 35c; 1/4 oz. 60c; 1/2 oz. \$1.00; per pkt. 15c.

IRIS CHRYSOFOR

A new race of early-flowering Irises, producing a profusion of dainty flowers during the early spring. Invaluable for cutting purposes, lasting well in water. Masses of grass-like foliage from which issue many stout wiry stems bearing several medium-sized flowers in shades of white, lavender, sky-blue, rich purple, sulphur yellow and bronze. In mixed colors. Cannot supply in selected colors. Will bloom the second year. Price for seeds, 20c per pkt., 3 for 50c.

LINUM (Flax)

SIBIRICUM. Common blue flax. A lovely thing. 3 pkts. 25c; per pkt. 10c.

NARBONSE. Beautiful steel-blue glistening large flowers. 1/8 oz. 60c; per pkt. 20c.

GRANDIFLORUM RUBRUM (Scarlet Flax) is an Annual.

LILIUM (Lily)

REGALE. Delicate white flushed pink. Easily grown from seed. 1 oz. \$1.50; 1/4 oz. 50c; per pkt. 15c.

PHILIPPINENSE FORMOSANUM. A grand Lily that is rapidly becoming popular as a garden variety and as a cut flower. Large trumpet-shaped flowers of pure white are gracefully carried on slender 2 to 3 foot stems. In the garden it makes a beautiful display during the summer. Easy from seed and blooms the second year from seed. Per pkt. 20c; 1/8 oz. 40c; 1/4 oz. 75c.

TENUIFOLIUM. The Coral Lily. A pretty, dwarf, early blooming sort, carrying many waxen recurved flowers of most intense coral scarlet. Excellent material for rock garden planting and valuable likewise for bedding or clump planting in the hardy border. Forces well. A native of Siberia. Usually blooms in one year from seed. Pkt. 20c; special pkt. 40c.

Mt. Sterling, Kentucky,
January 22, 1936.

Your Cliveden Beauty and other improved *Belladonna Delphinium* must be an answer to prayer of the lovers of Delphiniums who live in a climate unfavorable to growing delphiniums. I had splendid success with Cliveden Beauty from Spring sown seeds last year, cutting two crops of beautiful clear blue flowers of fine size from my plants, which were sturdy, clean plants when cut down by freezing weather in the late Fall. These fine *Belladonnas* will be a boon to florists.

MRS. OLDDHAM.

LUPINUS (Lupin)

SUPER PINK MIXTURE. Does not come quite true. 1/4 oz. 50c; per pkt. 20c.

BLUE BEAUTY. Beautiful shades of blue. 1/4 oz. 40c; per pkt. 15c.

APRICOT SHADES. Very beautiful but hard to get even from pure apricot seeds. 1/4 oz. 75c; per pkt. 20c.

NEW MODERN ENGLISH NAMED VARIETIES in art shades of amber, deep pink, orange, apricot, terra-cotta, ruby crimson, rosy-red. A magnificent collection. You have never seen anything like it. **HIGHEST AWARD OF MERIT** from the Royal Horticultural Society of England. **SEEDS IN FINEST MIXTURE** (not in separate colors) 1/8 oz. 50c; per pkt. 30c.

MYOSOTIS (Forget-me-not)

SUTTON'S ROYAL BLUE. Rich dark blue on long stalks.

PALUSTRIS. The pretty swamp Forget-me-not. Blooms all summer.

ALPESTRIS "MESSIDOR" ("Blue Eyes"). A beautiful deep blue. Any of the above varieties, 1/16 oz. 35c; 1/8 oz. 50c; 1/4 oz. 75c; per pkt. 15c.

DISSITIFLORA GRANDIFLORA ("Perfection") Fine sky-blue, early flowering. The best groundwork among your spring bulbs. 1/16 oz. 60c; 1/8 oz. \$1.00.

PANSY

You can't grow super-pansies from cheap seed; finest seed costs money. In order to grow the finest and earliest blooming plants you must sow the seed early in the fall, as soon as obtainable, in cold frames, and raise strong, husky seedlings before freezing weather, and then, oh joy! in the spring, what plants you will have. Of course, you can also sow in the spring.

TRIUMPH OF THE GIANTS. This German strain is hard to beat. 1/16 oz. 90c; per pkt. 45c.

GOLDEN GATE. A beautiful monster Golden Yellow with a dark center (Mastodon strain). 1/16 oz. 95c; per pkt. 25c and 40c.

GRAND DUKE MICHEL. The largest all-white pansy. Prices same as for Golden Gate.

"Original" Giant Swiss Roggli's Pansy Strain

The World's Most Brilliant Pansy Strain

ROGGLI'S GIANT PANSIES surpass all Giant Pansies known up till now and have been much admired on exhibitions where shown and where they gained many first prizes. This pansy strain produces flowers of enormous size—4 to 5 inches—on long vigorous stems which gracefully surmount the healthy foliage. We offer them in the following **SEPARATE** colors, as well as in mixture.

ROGGLI'S GIANTS "THUNDER SEA BLUE". By far the largest and most magnificent of all blue Giant pansies.

ROGGLI'S NOVELTY "BERNA". Bright dark violet of velvety texture of enchanting beauty. Giant flowers 4 to 5 inches in diameter with strong, long stems.

ROGGLI'S GIANTS "ALPENGLUEHN". Garnet red, a wonderful bright red novelty; the beauty and brilliancy of this color being of an entirely new tone; flowers are of enormous size.

Seeds of any of the above novelties, **separate** or in mixture: Per pkt. of about 200 seeds 50c; 1/2 pack 30c; 1/16 oz. \$1.00.

PAPAYER (Poppy)

Gorgeous, stately, beautiful perennials of rich, satiny texture, borne upon three-foot stems. Should be planted and divided in August, as they make a very early fall growth.

ORIENTALE (Mrs. Perry). Immense flowers of beautiful soft salmon-pink shades. Seeds which will give a beautiful range of pink shades, with some crimson rogues. Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c.

ORIENTALE "Queen Alexandra". Bright rosy-salmon. Lovely. Per pkt. 15c.

ORIENTALE "Mrs. John Harkness". Orange-apricot. Very fine. Per pkt. 15c.

ORIENTALE "Rembrandt". Magnificent orange-scarlet. Most gorgeous of all. Seed, per pkt. 15c.

ORIENTALE "Excelsior Mixed". A very fine mixture ranging from delicate salmon to deep crimson and many other shades not known heretofore. 1/16 oz. 25c; per pkt. 15c.

ALPINUM. Lovely dwarf rock plants in pink, white and yellow mixture. Pkt. 25c.

PAPAYER NUDICAULE "Fakenham Hybrid" (Iceland Poppy). Variety from Thibet crossed with Sunbeam and Coonara. This poppy is quite distinct from other Iceland. It is perpetual blooming and stands wind without blowing over. Many new shades of color, including pale lemon to deep yellow apricot. Pink shades and mauve tints, etc. Extra selected stock. Per pkt. 15c; 1/16 oz. 50c. All Iceland Poppies may be treated as annuals. They transplant well. Put them a foot apart—NOT CLOSER.

PAPAYER NUDICAULE COONARA. Stark's stock. We have selected this stock very carefully and offer seed that only throws **Pink Art Shades**. The stems are also much straighter and stronger than when we first grew this variety. 1/16 oz. 60c; per pkt. 20c.

PYRETHRUM (Painted or Persian Daisy)

ROSEUM FLORE PLENO. From best double-flowered varieties in mixture. 1/16 oz. 50c; 1/8 oz. \$1.00; per pkt. 25c.

ROSEUM HYBRIDS. Finest mixed single flowering varieties. 1/8 oz. 50c; 2 pkts. 25c; per pkt. 15c.

PERENNIAL SCABIOSA (Pincushion Flower)

S. CAUCASICA (Isaac House's New Hybrids). Hardy perennial; soft lavender blue and lilac shades, prized for cutting; 12 to 18 inches. Per pkt. 15c; 2 for 25c; 1/16 oz. 40c; 1/8 oz. 75c. Avoid wet and heavy soil when planting these perennials, so useful for cutting purposes. Soil of a gritty nature suits them best, as excessive moisture at the roots is fatal. Use some lime.

If you don't grow this Scabiosa you are missing a mighty fine thing. Seed germinates readily. Plants bloom when only small seedlings. Very handsome flowers on long stems, blooming from early summer until frost time. A 2 or 3-year-old clump is a wondrous sight.

SWEET ROCKET (Hesperis)

The old-fashioned Dame's Violet. A hardy perennial, easily raised from seed, blooms the following spring in May with the Iris and Aquilegia. Height, 3 to 5 feet. Very fragrant. No garden should be without it. A lovely, graceful cut flower. If you sell cut flowers on Decoration Day, you will find the long, loose sprays a valuable acquisition.

WHITE SWEET ROCKET. Per pkt. 15c; 2 pkts. 25c; 1/4 oz. 35c.

PUDOR'S PINK SWEET ROCKET. After many years of selecting and re-selecting, we have succeeded in establishing a fine orchid pink variety in place of the old purple variety. 1/8 oz. 35c; per pkt. 20c.

THALICTRUM (Meadow Rue)

TH. AQUILEGIFOLIUM. Large branched heads of feathery flowers in pink and white; beautiful cut foliage; fine border plant; 4-5 ft. Seeds, mixed, per pkt. 15c.

TH. ADIANTIFOLIUM. Elegant foliage resembling that of the Maidenhair Fern. Admirable for bouquets, as the leaves retain their form for a long time when cut. Hardy perennial. Height 18 inches. Per pkt. 15c.

TH. DIPTEROCARPUM. Tall growing perennial plants of great beauty, with loose sprays of clear mauve and primrose flowers; most graceful habit; thrives best in rather poor soil in the shade. 1/8 oz. 75c; 1/16 oz. 40c; per pkt. 20c.

THERMOPSIS (Pea Family)

CAROLINIANA. 3 to 4 ft. June-July. Long spikes of bright yellow flowers. Just the thing for planting among your Delphiniums to bring out the blue. This is a poor germinator, about 60%. 1/16 oz. 40c; per pkt. 15c.

TROLLIUS (Globe Flower)

EUROPEAN GLOBE FLOWER. Large, handsome globular flowers of a rich golden yellow or orange color. Blooms last of May and early June. Growth rather slow, but when once established, a three-year-old clump is a magnificent sight. Only fresh, fall-sown seed will insure success. Spring sown seed, unless soaked in hot water for a few seconds, might lay dormant for a whole year. We had splendid success with seed sown last fall in flats; looked like a 100% germination; seedlings showed up in February and were transplanted in May. Our own seed, per pkt. 25c.

LEDEBOURI "GOLDEN QUEEN". A very fine novelty. Award of Merit, Royal Horticultural Society, London. We offer again seed of this beautiful hardy perennial plant. It is a valuable garden plant and continues in bloom from June till October; in fact, we cut flowers outside as late as November.

This variety is very vigorous; it grows quite three feet in height, but its chief value lies in the size of the flowers, which are four inches across; the rich golden color of the outer petals and the intense orange color of the smaller petals near the center of the flower intermix and blend beautifully with the yellow anthers. The plant is extremely floriferous and continues in flower for a long period; in fact, the constancy with which it blooms in autumn as well as early summer is very remarkable. It comes practically true to type from seed.

Most Trollius are rather uncertain to raise from seed when sown in the spring, but one of the great recommendations this introduction has is that the seed germinates freely when sown in the spring. We tested this point very fully by three successive sowings in March, April and May, when practically every seed germinated. Blooms same year if sown early. Seed, pkt. 20c; 1/16 oz. 90c.

VIOLAS (Violet Family)

Treat these same as pansy seed; either sow in late summer, for early spring bloom, or sow in early spring for summer blooming.

R. VIOLA SUTTON'S APRICOT. A charming and unusual apricot-orange color. Comes about 80% true from seed. A very distinct and beautiful variety. 1/16 oz. 60c; 1/8 oz. \$1.00; 2 pkts. 25c; per pkt. 15c.

VIOLA "YELLOW QUEEN". A beautiful clear yellow of good habit; very sweetly scented. Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c; 1/16 oz. 65c.

VIOLA JERSEY JEWEL (New). Deep violet color, large blossoms and long stems. 1/16 oz. 80c; per pkt. 25c.

VIOLA ARKWRIGHT RUBY. Novelty. One of the most distinct of all the bedding Pansies or Violas. The flowers are borne in great profusion. Delightful rich ruby-red flowers. Seeds will always be scarce as the plants are very shy seeders. Per pkt. 25c.

VIOLA "PRIMROSE PERFECTION". A large flowered "primrose" Viola of beautiful formation and the habit of the plant is dwarf and compact; this variety is so floriferous that the foliage is almost hidden. Primrose Perfection may be relied upon to come true to color from seed. Seed, 1/16 oz. 65c; per pkt. 15c.

VIOLAS—Continued

A SPLENDID MIXTURE. We will make up a mixture of all of the above, 1/16 oz. 35c; 2 pkts. 25c; per pkt. 15c.



VIOLA "MAGGIE MOTT"

VIOLA "MAGGIE MOTT"

The new English Hybrid Viola—the finest of all. Extra large flowers, nearly as large as a small pansy blossom; the round shaped neat plants are covered for weeks with exquisite flowers of a soft heliotrope-blue, deliciously fragrant. Comes about 75% true from seed, which will always be very scarce, owing to the plants not setting seed well. Price, small pack of about 75 seeds, 25c.

STRAWBERRY PLANTS**THE NEW "PUGET SOUND WONDER" STRAWBERRY**

(Also known as the "New Washington")

MASTODON—A WONDERFUL EVERBEARING STRAWBERRY

THE MARSHALL. An old standby; a wonderful canning and ship-berry.

Strawberry plants are best set out in the very early spring; if set out in the fall there are apt to be heavy losses. Wait for our spring catalog for lowest prices, issued January 1st, 1937.

Milford, Michigan,
March 18, 1936.

Pudor's, Inc.,
Puyallup, Washington,
Gentlemen:

Please find enclosed money order for another 1/16 oz. of your "Pedigreed" Prize Winner Delphinium seed. I must say your seeds have so far produced seedlings far superior, both in vigor and beauty, far beyond a written description. Not that these are the only Delphinium we have tried; in fact I fully believe that we tried nearly every important Delphinium Specialist both in the United States and abroad in building up our strain and we certainly have developed some "jewels" from your strain. We were forced to turn down many seedling orders due to the fact the demand far exceeded the supply. Customers could hardly believe such Delphiniums ever grew. You may look for an order from us this summer for some of your White Wonder Delphinium seed. So far all our white ones have not been worth while.

Yours truly,
EVERGREEN NURSERY.



CALENDULA, CHRYSANTHA

ANNUAL SEEDS FOR FALL PLANTING

Few know many of our prettiest and best known annuals may be sown in the fall; in fact some varieties, like the annual Larkspur, are much better treated in this way. The principle is the one Nature uses. Seed dropped from parent plant will lie dormant in the soil until in the early spring, when it germinates and begins a root system long before one can get in the ground to sow seed. Consequently the flowering season is prolonged by the earlier blooming. Ground should be prepared and seed sown just previous to the late heavy frosts.

The fall-sown plants, as a rule, are much sturdier and better established on the blooming date than those started indoors.

Another advantage of fall sowing is that it relieves pressure in the springtime. Care should be taken not to sow too early, as the seed will germinate and the plants winter kill.

CALENDULA. Ball's Gold or Orange. $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 40c; 3 pkts. for 25c; per pkt. 10c.

CALENDULA DOUBLE ART SHADES (Novelty from England). Art shades contain many tones and shades not previously obtainable—delicate apricots, beautiful picotees, orange shades, creams, buffs and deep orange. Per pkt. 20c.

CALENDULA CHRYSANTHA. Very fine novelty. Never been offered before. Remarkable for its great length of stems and the most striking resemblance the flower bears to a Crysanthemum. The color is a clear buttercup yellow. Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c.

CALENDULA CAMPFIRE. Deep orange with a scarlet sheen. $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 25c; per pkt. 10c.

CANDYTUFT. Giant white Hyacinth, flowered. Rose cardinal, best red. Finest mixed. Per pkt. 10c; $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 25c; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 35c.

CLARKIA. Ruby King, Salmon Queen (pink), Scarlet Queen, Enchantress (novelty)—the finest salmon-pink, very double; Firebrand (novelty)—a vivid copper scarlet. Best mixture. Per pkt. 10c; 3 for 25c; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 35c.

ESCHSCHOLTZIA or CALIFORNIA POPPY. In most wonderful colors. Rosy carmine, Orange Crimson, Intense Scarlet, Flame Color, Golden Bronze. Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c; $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 30c. Special Mixture, including all the new shades, except "Buttercup". 1 oz. 75c; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 40c; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 25c; per pkt. 10c. Double "Buttercup". New. Beautifully fluted double deep butter-yellow; very fine. $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 50c; per pkt. 20c.

GODETIA. Crimson Glow, Carmine Rose, or in mixture. Per pkt. 10c; $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 25c.

LIMNANTHES DOUGLASI. The lovely California Cream-Cup; pure white with a yellow cup; 3 inches. A charming plant for the alpine garden. Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c.

NEMOPHILA. Baby's Blue Eye or in mixture. Per pkt. 10c, 3 for 25c; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 30c; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 50c.

PANSY. Described and priced on page 5. Start your pansy seed in July and August, winter the plants in a cold frame; result, big husky plants to set out in early spring.

POPPY. Annuals. Shirley mixture. Per pkt. 10c, 3 for 25c; $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 35c. New English Double Art Shades. Per pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c; $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 50c. Giant Double Cardinal (salmon pink), height 2 feet. Per pkt. 10c, 3 for 25c.



A SINGLE SPECIMEN PLANT OF ANNUAL LARKSPUR
Upright or Delphinium type.

ANNUAL LARKSPUR

For best results, sow in the late Fall
just before freezing weather sets in.

Family: Ranunculaceae. Good garden soil; plenty of room.

GIANT IMPERIAL. Tall, upright; 4-5 ft.

BLUE SPIRE. Intense deep Oxford blue.

BLUE BELL. Deeper than sky-blue. See under 1935 novelties.

CARMINE KING. Deep carmine rose.

MISS CALIFORNIA. Deep pink, shaded salmon.

PEACH BLOSSOM (New). Beautiful light pink.

WHITE SPIRE. Dazzling pure white.

Seeds of any of the above named varieties: $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 30c; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 50c; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 90c; per pkt. 15c.

GIANT IMPERIAL MIXED. A well balanced mixture of all the colors. $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 30c; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 50c; 1 oz. 90c; per pkt. 15c.

LARKSPUR. Tall branching double stock, flowered. Four feet.

LA FRANCE. Pleasing salmon pink.

ROSY SCARLET.

SKY BLUE.

Seeds of any of the above four stock flowered varieties: $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 25c; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 40c; 1 oz. 70c; per pkt. 10c.

ROSAMOND. An all-American Gold Medal selection in 1934. Pure bright rose. Height 4 ft. Per pkt. 15c; 2 for 25c.

DOUBLE STOCK-FLOWERED MIXED. 4 ft. 1 oz. 60c; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 35c; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 20c; per pkt. 10c.

Send for This Bulletin, if You Grow Plants from Seeds!

"MISSOURI BOTANICAL GARDEN BULLETIN", entitled "GROWING PLANTS FROM SEEDS", handsomely illustrated with 29 photographs, showing the whole process of sowing seeds to the transplanting of the seedlings. It is by far the best bulletin on the subject we have ever seen. Through the courtesy of the Botanical Gardens we were given special permission to reprint this bulletin. Price 15c, or free with all seed orders amounting to \$1.50 or over, if asked for with the order. Send stamps or coin or include amount with your order.

SECTION 2

Hardy Bulbs for Fall Planting

All bulbs described and listed in the following pages should be planted in the fall. Indeed, some, such as Spanish, Dutch and English Irises, Daffodils, Tulips, and some varieties of Lily bulbs can only be planted in the fall. (The Madonna or Candidum Lily should only be planted during August, and not later than September; they cannot be planted successfully in the spring.) Some lily varieties such as the Regales, Auratum, and the Japanese Speciosum, may also be planted in early spring, but fall planting is best.

Grow More Lilies!

"I placed it in the earth—this bulb of mine—
And from its narrow prison house of night
It struggled forth to reach the air and light

And as it rose and blossomed to the sight
Its absolute perfection seemed divine."



LILIUM REGALE

Introduced from Western China by Mr. E. H. Wilson. It is hardly necessary to sing the praises of Liliun Regale, for is it not generally regarded as the finest of all garden Lilies of recent introduction? It is very bold and vigorous.

We sell three sizes of REGAL LILIES—

- 7 to 8-inch circumference—will produce fine flowers. 15c each postpaid, West of the Rockies; 20c each postpaid, East of the Rockies. At the rate of 12½c each per 25, 50 or 100 by express, charges collect. Not less than 25 sold at this price.
- 9 to 10-inch circumference, 25c each postpaid West of the Rockies; 30c each postpaid East of the Rockies. At the rate of 20c each per 25, 50 or 100 by express, charges collect.
- 10 to 11-inch circumference. Mammoth size, 50c each postpaid West of the Rockies; 55c each postpaid East of the Rockies. At the rate of 30c each per 25 or 50 by express, collect. These will produce enormous flower heads.

The REGAL LILY is easily grown from seed. 15c per pkt.; ¼ oz. 40c; ½ oz. 75c; 1 oz. \$1.00.

THE CORAL LILY (*Lilium tenuifolium*). A perfect little darling from Siberia. You know it's "got" to be hardy when its home is in the land of snows. This is about as dainty a little flower as could be imagined. The color is bright coral-red. The stems seldom grow more than a foot and a half high; often not more than a foot, which makes it a charming addition to the rock garden. It blooms real early in the summer and has up to a dozen nodding little blooms to the stem. Plant in the fall or very early



LILIUM CANDIDUM (The Madonna or St. Joseph's Lily)

spring months. Not for sale after April 15th. 2-year-old bulbs, 3 for 45c; 6 for 80c; \$1.50 per doz., postpaid. It seems that some gardeners think that the larger the bulb the better it is. In some varieties this is not at all true and the Coral is one of those, for the older this bulb is the sooner it will disappear. If the seed-pods are picked off when the flower wilts, the bulbs are supposed to last longer.

THE CORAL LILY is easily grown from seeds. Pkt. 20c; special large pack 40c.

LILIUM CANDIDUM (The MADONNA or ST. JOSEPH'S LILY). A perfectly hardy, lovely Lily that succeeds well in every garden. To appreciate its full beauty, the bulbs should stay in the ground for several years. **Strong flowering bulbs.** Plant this lily in August—September the very latest—very shallow. It should not be planted at any other time.

- 7 to 8-inch circumference, 20c each postpaid; \$12.50 per 100 by express, charges collect; 50 at same rate; 25 for \$3.75 by express, charges collect.
- 9 to 10-inch circumference, 30c each postpaid; \$22.00 per 100 by express, charges collect; 50 at same rate; 25 for \$6.00 by express, charges collect.
- 11 to 12-inch mammoth size, 40c each by mail, postpaid; \$4.00 per 12 by express, charges collect.

L. HENRYI (the orange-yellow Speciosum). Too much cannot be said in praise of this new Lily. Its constitution is of the hardiest; it is very free-flowering, reaching six feet or more in height when established, and bearing over 20 flowers, which are of a rich, deep orange-yellow, very telling in point of color and well set off by the deep green foliage. The fact that it is seen doing well in so many gardens shows its sound constitution and good flowering qualities. It is one of the best Lilies ever introduced, and one which we confidently recommend. (Aug.-Sept.) Grand bulbs, 8 to 9 inches circumference, 35c each postpaid; 20c each by express, charges collect. Largest size, 10 to 12-inch circumference, 50c each postpaid; 35c each by express, charges collect.

CAMASSIA LEICHTLINI. Deep blue. It is a fine plant that may grow to four feet in height, with as many as a hundred flowers, of the finest, even form, star-shaped, and as large as an inch and a half across. It flowers in long succession. 90c per doz. postpaid. By express, charges collect, \$7.00 per 100; 50 at same rate.

CAMASSIA LEICHTLINI—White to Cream. Per doz. 90c; \$7.00 per 100 by express, charges collect; 50 at same rate.

Reports from delighted growers in all sections of the United States justify us in emphasizing both the hardiness and beauty of Camassias. Camassias are ready from September on. Best planted in late September and early October. Not for sale in spring.

MUSCARI. Heavenly blue. The early spring blooming Grape Hyacinth. Charming in the border and in the Alpine garden. First size, 50c per doz. postpaid; by express, \$3.50 per 100.

SCILLA CAMPANULATA. Blue: 60c per doz. postpaid; by express, \$3.50 per 100, charges collect. Largest bulbs.



ST. BRIGID ANEMONES

Many find the cultivation of these lovely flowers difficult, and needlessly so, for their requirements are few and simple. I find that they soon die if left in the ground for more than one year, so that it pays to get fresh corms every year, either from seedsmen or by raising them. Seed sown in early spring on well-prepared ground begins to flower in September and goes on as long as frost keeps off, to give a lovely display in spring. Being difficult to thin after germination, the seeds should be sown so thinly that this operation will be unnecessary. When the foliage is drying off in summer, lift the corms carefully and dry off, replanting in the September following, and discarding them after they have flowered for the second time.

ANEMONES—St. Brigid. Plant either in fall or early spring, but fall planting is best as the Anemone is a very early spring bloomer. Jumbo size, 75c per doz.; 3 doz. for \$2.00, postpaid. Stock of this size is not large. First size, 1 year old (all will bloom), 50c per doz.; \$2.00 for 50; \$3.50 per 100, postpaid.

LEUCOJUM (Snowflake). Produce pretty, nodding white flowers somewhat like a Giant Snowdrop on tall 18-inch stems. See photo. They bloom at the same time as Tulips, or a little earlier, and are lovely subjects for the spring garden too little known. Largest bulbs 10c each, postpaid; 3 for 25c; 85c per doz., postpaid. By express charges collect, at the rate of 8c for the double nosed and 6c for the large single nosed, in quantities of 25 up.

SPANISH, DUTCH AND ENGLISH IRIS BULBS

MUST BE PLANTED IN SEPTEMBER OR OCTOBER
(NOT LATER)

—to remain in the ground for two or three years, when the colonies then formed must be divided in August, and replanted in September. It will be found that the bulbs have tripled and quadrupled.

Plant these Iris bulbs in well-drained, light, sandy loam, if possible; fertilize with bone meal at planting time, and mulch well during the winter in cold climates.

Contrary to the general belief, these beautiful bulbous Iris, which are annually forced by the millions in florists' greenhouses for the cut flower trade, are entirely hardy out-of-doors; all they need in cold climates is a liberal mulch of dead leaves or straw during the coldest winter months. A customer grows them successfully year after year in Montreal, Canada, where the thermometer goes way below zero. In milder sections of the country they need no protection whatever. The Spanish Iris make an early fall growth, so do not be alarmed when you see the tiny onion-like leaves appear in November.



LEUCOJUM (SNOWFLAKE) Like a lovely mammoth snowdrop

Since some of the bulbous Iris are always sold out before the last orders come in, please order in July or August. Later always name one or two substitutes in case one or two of the varieties you are ordering are sold out.

Please note particularly the Dutch, Spanish and English Irises are not for sale in the spring, and we usually plant what is left on hand in October, the latest. Hence you cannot obtain any of these after they have been planted.

PLEASE NOTE: If you lose your bulbs during the winter and they fail to come up, it is not our fault nor the bulbs', so do not ask us to replace them the following year. If you plant the bulbs early —by September—in well-drained soil, then upon approach of cold weather mulch them well, you won't lose them.

DUTCH IRIS (Finer New Varieties)

First Size Bulbs

The flowers are larger, more graceful and of greater substance and finer color. They have better stems and are more disease-resistant than the older varieties.

E. B. GARNIER. 24 in. tall. Both standards and falls a uniform dark blue; an improved "Imperator". 10 bulbs for 45c postpaid; 50 for \$1.90 postpaid; 100 for \$3.50 by express, charges collect.

GOLDEN BRONZE. Standards dark violet-edged bronze, falls attractive golden bronze, very beautiful. Height 22 inches. 45c per 10; 50 for \$1.90, postpaid; \$3.50 per 100 by express, charges collect. Very fragrant.

GOLDEN GLORY. Standards golden yellow, falls darker. The dark "Yellow Queen". Height 24 inches. 10 bulbs for 50c postpaid; 25 for \$1.10; 50 for \$2.00 postpaid; \$3.50 per 100 by express, charges collect.

LEONARDO DA VINCI. Standards creamy white, falls canary yellow with orange stripe. Very early flowers. Height 23 inches. Prices same as for the above "Golden Glory".

POGGENBEEK. Standards and falls uniform dark blue. Great improvement on Imperator. Height 30 inches. 10 bulbs for 45c postpaid; 50 for \$1.90 postpaid; 100 for \$3.50 by express, charges collect.

THEO WYCK. 20 in. tall. Standards and falls uniform cornflower blue, with narrow orange strip; very beautiful. You will love it. 10 bulbs for 50c postpaid; 25 for \$1.25; \$3.50 per 100 by express, charges collect.

THERESA SCHWARTZA. 24 in. tall. Standards pale lavender; falls pure white with very narrow orange stripes. A beauty. 10 bulbs for 45c postpaid; 50 for \$1.90 postpaid; 100 for \$3.50 by express, charges collect.

WHITE EXCELSIOR. Uniform pure white, falls very broad. Very good form and substance. Height 22 inches. Prices same as for "Theresa Schwartz".

YELLOW QUEEN. 28 in. tall. Both the standards and falls golden yellow. Perfectly lovely. 10 bulbs 45c postpaid; 25 for \$1.15 postpaid; \$4.00 per 100 by express, charges collect.

MIXTURE. A well blended mixture of all the above and others, 55c per 12 postpaid; 3 doz. for \$1.50 postpaid; \$3.00 per 100 by express, charges collect; \$25 per 1000.

TINGITANA HYBRID "WEDGEWOOD". The handsomest of all. Not hardy outside in the coldest sections of New England, but a great Iris for forcing or for milder climates. A large, clear, light blue self color. Large bulbs, \$1.00 per doz. postpaid. Smaller flowering size, 75c per doz.; per 100 (50 at same rate, but not 25) size 8 to 9 cm. circumference, \$5.00; size 9 to 10 cm., \$7.00; mammoth size, 10 cm. up, \$9.00 per 100. Express charges collect.

ENGLISH IRIS (Bulbous)

This is the latest Iris to bloom (except the Japanese Iris). Very large, handsome flowers. It is not a forcing variety, but one of the finest cut-flower Iris known. A handsome, hardy garden variety (but needs winter mulching like the Dutch and Spanish). It should be grown by every florist as the handsome cut flowers always command a good price. See colored plate on outside back cover.

BLUE CELESTE (or Sky Blue). Largest of all; light lavender blue.

ELECTRA (Sunset). Like a Cattleya orchid, delicate lavender-pink.

OTHELLO. Rich wine red. See the color plate.

TOP SIZE BULBS of these "named" varieties 3 for 25c; \$1.15 per doz., postpaid. By express charges collect at the rate of 8c each in quantities of not less than 25 up, of one variety.

A CHOICE MIXTURE of the above WITH other desirable colors, 85c per doz; 6 for 45c, postpaid. By express charges collect in quantities of not less than 50 mixed, 5½c each.

SPANISH IRIS**First or Top Size Bulbs, 6 to 7 Cm.**

THESE BLOOM TEN DAYS TO TWO WEEKS AFTER THE DUTCH IRIS. They are lovely, graceful flowers, charming cut flowers lasting from a week to ten days after being cut, all the buds developing.

BLANCHE FLEUR. White tinged with light blue.

CAJANUS. A charming golden yellow self; the tallest of them all, growing from 30 to 36 inches tall with large blossoms. We have a small colony of these at the edge of our rockery and a charming sight it is.

FLORA. A lovely combination of pale lavender and cream with a brilliant orange blotch.

KING OF THE BLUES. Deep blue.

KING OF THE WHITES. Pure white.

PRICE of any of the above named varieties 60c per doz.; 3 doz. for \$1.75; 100 for \$4, postpaid; \$35 per 1000 by express charges collect. All top size bulbs.

A LOVELY MIXTURE. A field of Spanish Iris in mixture looks like a colony of multi-colored exotic immense butterflies, fluttering in a gentle June breeze. Prices: 40c per doz.; 3 doz. for \$1.10; \$3.25 per 100 postpaid; \$30.00 per 1000 by express, charges collect.

BRONZE. The only good Bronze variety. Per doz. 75c; 3 doz. for \$2.00 postpaid.

DARWIN TULIPS

Northwest Tulip bulbs are of the highest quality and much sought after by all gardeners and dealers; they are much superior to Holland stock; it's our climate and soil!

Names of Darwin Tulips are legion; the seven we are listing are the most outstanding and best for garden culture. Plant about 6 inches deep and same distance apart. Let no manure come into contact with the bulbs, and take up and divide every 2 or 3 years to avoid "tulip fire".

BARTIGON. A rich fiery red flower with a contrasting pure white base. Blooms early; 24 inches.

CLARA BUTT. Clear bright pink blooms tinted with salmon-rose and marked blue at the base. Large, well formed flowers. Makes a wonderful display in the garden and is suited for forcing; 21 inches.

FARNCOMBE SANDERS. Fiery rose-scarlet on the outside and vivid scarlet-red with a blue and white base on the inside. It combines well with many other colors offered on this page and is truly magnificent when planted in masses by itself; 32 inches.

MADAME KRELAGE. Bright lilac-rose, shading to silvery rose on the edges of the petals. The inside of the flower is deep rose-pink; 30 inches.

PRIDE OF HAARLEM. Rich rosy carmine with a blue base; very distinct. Large, well formed, sweet scented flower; height 30 inches.

REV. EWBANK. A lovely lavender flower shaded rich violet and dove-gray. The inside is a richer tone. This is a most unusual color, and never fails to attract attention wherever grown; 28 inches.

INGLESCOMBE YELLOW. A golden yellow Tulip of great beauty and wonderful size. Of tall, strong growth and highly recommended; 29 inches.

PRICES for any of the above named Darwin Tulips: 3 for 25c postpaid; not less than three of any one variety sold. 12 for 75c postpaid. Per 100 (50 in proportion) of one variety, by express, charges collect (low second class rates) \$4.50 per 100; \$40 per 1000.

An Early Single Tulip, First to Bloom

TULIP KEIZER KROON. They who like not common things may pass by this note; Keizer Kroon Tulip has been familiar from childhood—it is one of the oldest, as it is, assuredly, one of the best of early Dutch varieties. The huge flower is bright red, nearly scarlet, edged with yellow; it is self-confident, the margin is broad and clearly defined, the flower is seen and recognized from afar. Yet there is something refined about the blossom, and it pleases me because I can imagine the surprise and joy of some old Dutch grower when his great variety first opened to the sunshine; it remains a distinctive flower, a great bedding Tulip, and one quite good for forcing. It is a strong, healthy grower, and a bed of it will bring into the early spring garden some of the color and joy for which we have longed for so many months; today there are several fine early Dutchmen in flower, but somehow they look rather dowdy as compared with the flaming Keizer Kroon. There is, after all, some pleasure to be extracted from possessing an appreciation of an old, well-known, and first-class flower. Prices prepaid by mail, as follows: For 3 (no less sold) 30c; for 12, 90c; per 100 by express, charges collect, \$6.00.

UNEXCELLED NEW TRIUMPH TULIPS

Bloom a week or ten days before the Darwins. The most beautiful, strongest, the most perfect Tulips in the World. Pure, strong, lovely colors.

IN A MIXTURE (not in separate colors this year) of carmine, yellow, orange, heliotrope, light rose and dark rose and white, \$1.00 per doz.; 6 for 60c. Per 100, postpaid, \$7.50. By express charges collect, \$6.00 per 100. By all means try some of these fine new Tulips; they are very beautiful. Bloom around May 1st. On the Pacific Coast last two weeks of April.

SUPER DOUBLE TRIUMPH TULIPS

Like a beautiful double Peony, on long, strong stems. Three cut flowers are sufficient to fill a large vase. We offer 3 of the finest varieties which are exceptionally fine and quite rare.

EROS. Magnificent double rose which in form and size resembles the Dahlia "Kathleen Norris"; really exceptionally beautiful. Heights 20 inches. 30c each.

MOUNT TACOMA. Pure white, very large and double flower. Height 18 inches. 25c each.

UNCLE TOM. Beautiful mahogany colored, very double, of enormous size. A special strong stem, 22 inches. A marvelous flower. 25c each.

**PARROT TULIPS (Late)**

Interesting class of Tulips with fringed flowers.

FANTASY. Giant fringed. A strong grower 20 inches high; dark rose edged cream-pink, shaded salmon-rose with emerald green markings on outside of petals; a most unusual, sensational Tulip. 3 for 40c; 12 for \$1.25; 100 for \$9.00.

CROCUS. GIANT FLOWERED

PURPUREA GRANDIFLORA. Rich dark purple; the largest of this color.

QUEEN OF THE BLUES. The most beautiful of all Crocus; very fine light blue flowers.

KATHLEEN PARLOW. Pure white, very large.

PALLAS. Blue with violet markings; very fine.

SIR WALTER SCOTT. White, striped purple; very attractive.

GOLDEN YELLOW. The finest of all Crocus. Giant size.

Price of any of the above named varieties, postpaid, 12 for 50c; 100 for \$3; 1000 for \$25.

A GRAND MIXTURE of blue, white, striped and yellow, all guaranteed to bloom, postpaid, 12 for 40c; 100 for \$2.75; 1000 for \$22.50.



CROCUS

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NARCISSUS (Daffodils)

High quality Northwest grown Narcissus bulbs have proven themselves superior to all other stock. They produce larger flowers with longer and sturdier stems and bloom earlier than bulbs imported from Holland or Southern grown bulbs. These are facts.

Pudor's Narcissus and Tulip bulbs are the finest that money can buy. Not only are our bulbs grown with the utmost care but every bulb sold must come up to a high standard of quality and a full size grade.

There are many varieties of Narcissus; the names are becoming legions, but the following named varieties which we are offering below, are the best and most satisfactory varieties for the home gardener and for beauty, size of blossoms and ease of growing they can certainly not be excelled.

KING ALFRED. Certainly one of the finest of all the yellow trumpets. No. 1 large round bulbs, 8c each up to 50 bulbs. Per 100 \$7.00. Postage extra; 4c per bulb West of the Rockies, 7c per bulb East of the Rockies. From a dozen up, we recommend express shipment; bulbs are rated by express as 2nd class and go as cheap and cheaper than by mail.

OLYMPIA. A huge deep yellow; free flowering and hardy; a much improved Emperor. The prices for Olympia are the same as for King Alfred.

GLORY OF SASSENHEIM. A so-called "bi-color". Rich yellow trumpet with a fine white perianth; a beautiful large flower. No. 1 large round bulbs, 7c each up to 50 bulbs. Per 100 \$6.00. Postage extra, as for King Alfred, see above.

VAN WAVERN'S GIANT. Enormous flower with deep yellow trumpet, well opened; the perianth is pale yellow. A gorgeous and graceful flower. No. 1 large round bulbs, 11c each up to 50 bulbs. 100, \$10.00. Postage extra; 4c per bulb West of the Rockies, 7 cents per bulb East of the Rockies. Recommended express shipment for dozen and up; see under King Alfred.

POETAZ OR CLUSTER-FLOWERED NARCISSUS

Tall growers, bearing clusters of 3 to 8 large fragrant flowers; fine for cutting.

ASPASIA. Pure white perianth with a bright yellow eye; very fine both for outside and inside culture. Double nosed bulbs, 3 for 30c, postpaid; 12 for 90c; 100 for \$5.50 by express collect.

No. 1 round bulbs, 12 for 75c, postpaid; 100 by express collect, \$5.00 per 100.

LAURENS KOSTER. Cluster of 5 to 7 large pure white flowers with orange cup. Prices same as for Aspasias.



IRIS CULTURE

Any ordinary garden soil, and almost any position suits the Iris, but a rather dry and sunny position is the best; they object to fresh stable manure, which should be avoided when planting. If the best results are desired they should be planted in good, rich soil which must not be deficient in lime. The latter constituent is of the greatest importance in the cultivation of bearded Irises, and it must be added to the soil if not present in sufficient quantity. It is a good plan to give a dressing of superphosphate of lime when transplanting, and a dressing of powdered chalk in the autumn and winter.

Attention if Living East of the Rockies

Owing to the higher postage rate, 14c per lb., and a large rhizome, packed, will weigh close to a pound and sometimes even more, we will have to ask you to remit 10c extra on each Iris you order; if postage amounts to less we will credit you.

THE FAMOUS PUDOR IRISES

Delivery Last of July, August and September

ALIQUIPPA. Height 34 inches. Fragrant; late bloomer. A very fine large yellow variety. Silver Medal Iris Society. 25c.

ALTA CALIFORNIA. A tall, noble, yellow Iris. S. clear yellow. F. deep golden yellow, flushed bronze at base. Large blooms on much branched stalks. Hardy. \$1.50.

AMBASSADOR. Height 4 feet. One of the finest Iris. S. dull coppery-violet. F. deep rich velvety brown. 25c.

APHRODITE. One of the best "PINK" Iris. Height 4 feet. S. and F. of the same bright pink with no markings. Sweetly scented. 30c.

ASIA. Height 4 to 5 feet. A grand Iris unlike anything else. S. pale silvery lavender, F. reddish purple. Both S. and F. with gold margins. 25c.

BALLERINE. Height 3 feet. Very sweetly scented. S. light blue-violet, F. a deeper shade. An Iris that is always greatly admired. 25c.

BRUNO. Height 3 feet. One of the finest "Dominion" seedlings. One of the five best Iris. S. bronzy heliotrope, F. a rich velvety violet purple. 25c.

CATTLEA. Height 30 inches. A light lavender pink toned variety. S. fawn and lavender rose with deeper falls; remarkable red veins. 25c.

CITRONELLA. Height 3 feet. A handsome brilliant free-flowering yellow with falls beautifully veined and mottled red. Given an Award of Merit in England. 25c.

CONCHOBAR. Height 4 feet. S. lavender overlaid bronze; falls rich velvety plum-purple. Tall and handsome. 25c.

CONQUISTADOR. Deep mauve shading to light lavender. Tall and fragrant. 25c.

DAUNTLESS. The most popular red self Iris; standards and falls of the same shade, both of large size on tall heavy stems. Height 40 inches. 75c.

DEPUTE NOMBLAT. A magnificent Iris, 4 ft. tall, pronounced by some connoisseurs as the world's greatest Iris. The large flowers on tall, widely branched stalks, have copper-red golden bronzed standards with wide falls of a rich claret crimson with a deep orange beard. 75c.

DOLLY MADISON. Pale pinkish mauve standards with broad flaring falls of lilac; half tinted gold with orange beard. Most outstanding color. Growth vigorous. 25c.

IRIS—Continued

DREAM (Sturtevant). A soft clear pink. A typical "pink" Pallida. A large clump in full bloom is a "Dream," indeed. Flowers are borne with all the grace and freedom of the lovely Pallida-Dalmatica. Height 3 ft. 25c.

DUKE OF BEDFORD. Height 34 inches. A fine large "Dominion" seedling. S. deep reddish-violet, falls rich velvety purple. 25c.

ESPLENDIDO. Height 3 feet. Very large and branched, a fine dark blue toned Iris. One of Mr. Mohr's California Iris. 25c.

EVADNE. Height fully 3 feet. A glowing rosy-red self Iris; a great improvement on Seminole, deliciously scented. 30c.

FRIEDA MOHR. No doubt one of the finest Iris. Height 4 feet. Sweetly scented. A gigantic deep-pink toned Iris of perfect form, good texture, brilliant coloring and long flowering season. Stock is always scarce. 30c.

GERMAINE PERTHUIS. Height 3 feet. Enormous flowers of an intense velvety violet-purple self. Late and fragrant. 25c.

GEORGIA (Farr). S., F. and stigmas a soft shade of rose; bright orange beard; a most beautiful, delicate variety. 25c.

GOLD IMPERIAL (By Miss Sturtevant). Stalks widely branched, profuse bloomers of chrome-yellow flowers of beautiful texture. 25c.

INDIAN CHIEF. A dark velvety-red. Fine form and vigorous. One of the best. 40c.

ISOLINE. Height 2½ feet. A grand distinct Iris. S. lilac-pink, F. purplish old rose, golden at throat. 25c.

JEAN CAYEUX. One of the finest introductions of recent years. Beautiful, well formed, slightly frilled flowers of an enchanting pale "Havanna-brown". Perfect form, well branched, over 3 feet tall, one of the finest Iris ever introduced, a super "100" Iris. Winner of highest honors both in France and England. A last year's Ten Dollar Iris, now each \$5.50. Only a very few to spare.

LORD LAMBOURNE. Height 3 feet. Very early. Profuse bloomer. S. soft rosy-fawn, F. rich crimson, golden beard. 25c.

LOS ANGELES. A giant in size, snowy-white, with faint edgings of lavender-blue on the edges. 50c.

LOVELY BLUE "MABEL TAFT". A real giant, stalks towering over 4 ft. with fine foliage. Wonderful blue with velvety falls. 75c.

MADAME DURRAND. Height fully 4 feet. A perfect beauty with standards of gold and falls of blue-purple on gold. 35c.

MAGNIFICA. Height 3½ feet. Rich color, great size and deliciously fragrant. Should be in every collection. A brilliant crimson-toned bi-color. 25c.

MELCHIOR. A beautiful red-bronze claret self with orange beard. Ruffled velvety falls. 3 feet, well branched. Very fine. 30c.

MILDRED PRESBY. Height 30 inches. An exceptionally rich bi-color. S. palest yellow, F. velvety violet. Fine substance. 25c.

MRS. VALERIE WEST. A Bliss seedling and considered by him his greatest achievement. A color combination of Bruno and Cardinal, but of greater size on a tall stem widely branched. 50c.

OPHELIA. A blend of cream, old gold, pink and pale blue; one of the loveliest of all Iris. 25c each, 3 for 50c.

PINK SATIN. One of the finest pink Irises. A glistening, brilliant pink, of pure color, a finely shaped flower. \$1.00.

PIONEER. Height 3½ feet. One of the finest Iris in cultivation; a "Dominion" seedling. Color most effective brilliant red-purple. 25c.

PLUIE D'OR. Height 36 inches. A large flower of perfect form and a profuse bloomer. A deep pure golden-yellow self. One of the finest new Iris. 35c.

PRESIDENT PILKINGTON. A magnificent, vigorous, tall Iris, up to 4 ft. Huge flowers on beautifully branched stalks. S. are pale buff with a faint bluish suffusion; the wide falls lavender blue with buff-yellow margins. A truly outstanding lovely Iris. \$1.00.

PURISSIMA. A tall vigorous Iris. THE perfect pure-white Iris of great size, perfect form. Always scarce. Now 40c.

SAN FRANCISCO. Tall stem, branching low like a candelabra, with large white flowers edged a lovely lavender. In size, shape and substance nothing can approach it. 40c.

SANTA BARBARA. Height 3½ feet. A gigantic light-blue self of perfect form. One of the largest and finest in this class. 25c.

SIKH. Height 33 inches. A very fine bronze-red variety. A very large flower of perfect form with velvety, flaring falls. 35c.

SOUVENIR DE MADAME GAUDICHAU. Height 3½ feet. A very fine and distinct variety. A deep purple bi-color; well shaped rich velvety flowers. 25c.

STEEPWAY. Height 3½ feet. A beautiful, distinct variety. S. reddish-fawn, F. purple and apricot; flowers like satin. 25c.

SUSAN BLISS. Height 3 feet. One of the finest pink-toned Iris. Largest flowers of a delicate shade of pale lilac-rose; 3 and 4 flowers open at one time. 25c.

ZAHARON. A strong, vigorous grower with large flowers of unusual color, a blend of amber, buff, yellow, fawn and softest violet. \$1.25.

General List of Perennial Plants

YOUNG SEEDLINGS OF HARDY PERENNIALS

For Early Fall Planting. Ready from SEPTEMBER ON.
NO PLANT ORDERS ARE SOLICITED FOR
LESS THAN ONE DOLLAR

We sell annually many thousands of BABY SEEDLINGS to our customers, who dislike or are not successful with seeds.

These seedlings are grown from our VERY BEST SEEDS. They are grown in the open field, assuring vigor and health and by early fall have made such a growth that the following year they will grow into large blooming clumps—a joy in your garden at a very small outlay of money.

In extremely cold climates (New England and Canada) plant them closely in a cold frame and after freezing weather sets in and the leaves have died down give them the usual winter protection.

In the Middle West and Southern states plant them right outside, either temporarily close together, or in the garden where you want them to grow next year, and during the winter give them the necessary light cover (or none at all, as they are perfectly hardy). When spring arrives, plant them in the garden 1 to 2 feet apart, according to the variety, and the next spring or summer they will be a joy.

These seedlings will ship safely anywhere; we send them by parcel post carefully packed in damp moss delivered at your door; they will ship as well in the early spring (not later than April) as this fall. If wanted by "SPECIAL HANDLING", which means first class and QUICKER delivery, please be sure and add 10c postage up to 3 dozen and 15c over 3 dozen seedlings.

PLEASE DO NOT ORDER LESS THAN 1 DOZEN SEEDLINGS of any one variety or plants—it means too much trouble and extra expense in handling. The seedlings are so cheap that you can well afford to buy a dozen of one kind, and if too many you can divide with a neighbor.

DELPHINIUMS

PUDOR'S PRIZE WINNER STRAIN. 75c per doz.; 3 doz. for \$2.00, postpaid.

ENGLAND'S FAMOUS "BLACKMORE & LANGDON" STRAIN. 75c per doz.; 3 doz. for \$2.00, postpaid.

WHITE DELPHINIUM SEEDLINGS (Original Hoodacre Strain). From a choice selection of our best WHITES. 90c per doz.; 3 dozen for \$2.50, postpaid. You will get some magnificent whites that might be worth from a dollar to five dollars a clump when blooming. Notice—these whites do not breed true as yet; you will probably get a few blues but these will be outstanding and if you are lucky you might get one of those strange and beautiful mother-of-pearl colors.

WHITE DELPHINIUMS from parents of our Black Velvety Eyed Whites. How many of these seedlings will come with black centers or eyes we can not say; there will be also a small percentage of blues and violets. Not less than a dozen sold to make reasonably sure that you will get some Black-Velvety-Eyed. Price \$1.00 the dozen; 3 for \$2.75.

BELLA DONNA SPECIES. These do not grow as tall as the hybrids, are easier grown and are more suitable for cut flowers. We offer the following varieties:

CLIVEDEN BEAUTY. A beautiful light azure blue. 40c per doz.; 3 doz. for \$1.00, postpaid.

BLUE GROTTTO. A new Bella Donna from England. An early deep indigo blue. 50c per doz. postpaid.

BELLA DONNA "FORMOSUM". Handsome dark blue with white center; beautiful spikes for cutting. 40c per doz.; 3 doz. for \$1.00, postpaid.

LAMARTINE. An English variety, not often seen in America; a fine gentian blue, a distinct color of rather dwarf habit (3 ft.) Per doz. 60c; 3 doz. for \$1.70.

AQUILEGIA — COLUMBINE

DOBBIE'S LONGEST SPURRED IMPERIAL HYBRID COLUMBINES. In wonderful pastel colors in mixture. Per doz. 40c; \$3.00 per 100. Seedlings are naturally small of the Columbines but all will bloom next year.

CRIMSON STAR. The sensational new English Columbine. Few novelties in recent years have been so widely discussed. It obtained a high award from the English Horticultural Society; a brilliant and distinct color coming true from seed. As the seed germinates slower (fully 4 weeks) than other Columbines, many gardeners will undoubtedly be glad to afford themselves the opportunity to obtain plants. Seedlings 50c per doz.; 1-year-old plants that have bloomed, 25c each; 3 for 65c.

GYPSOPHILA PACIFICA. The new PINK Baby's Breath in habit like the old fashioned white Baby's Breath but in pink. This is a rapid sturdy grower. Plant in well limed, well drained soil. Seedlings, 12 for 50c, postpaid. Larger plants, 3 for 50c, postpaid.

LUPINS POLYPHYLLUS. New modern named English varieties. Blossoms are about twice the size of the older varieties and the colors marvelous, of shades never seen heretofore. This is your first opportunity to obtain these plants in this country. Seedlings, 75c per doz. Larger plants, \$1.25 for 12. Nearly all the plants are sweetly scented. By all means try some seed or plants of this new race.

SEEDLINGS—Continued

SHASTA DAISY DIENER'S GIANT DOUBLE WHITE. Like a beautiful Aster on long stiff stems; a most desirable cut flower, blooming for nearly three months. Seedlings will vary somewhat in type. Two sizes: 60c per doz. and 90c per doz., postpaid.

SCABIOSA CAUCASICA HOUSE'S STRAIN. If you have never grown the charming perennial Scabiosa, you have certainly missed a lovely garden flower. Blooms when quite small in lovely shades of blue on long stems. An excellent cut flower. Seedlings 75c per dozen, postpaid. Larger plants 15c and 25c each; \$1.50 and \$2.50 per dozen.

WHITE TO CREAM-WHITE SCABIOSA CAUCASICA. Very attractive and blossoms fully as large as the blue variety. Two sizes of seedlings: 60c and 75c doz. Advanced seedlings, 10c and 15c each (\$1.00 and \$1.50 the dozen).

TROLLIUS LEDEBOURI "GOLDEN QUEEN". A charming plant, with right care blooms both in the late spring and in the fall. Do not confuse this specie with the European Globe flower. Seedlings which are quite small but will bloom next year. 75c the doz. Supply is limited. This is the first time we are offering the Trollius in seedlings.

ANTHEMIS TINCTORA (Perry's (England) variety). A glorious golden yellow Marguerite. Blooms all summer long; very floriferous; charming finely cut foliage. Height 18 to 24 inches. Seedlings per doz. 50c and 75c.

LARGER ADVANCED SEEDLINGS

We can supply larger seedlings of any of the above described plants, either this fall or early next spring, at \$1.50 per doz., with the exception of the White Delphiniums, which will be \$2.00 per doz. for the larger plants.

PLEASE READ: The above prices include postage charges paid to your door. We cannot fill orders for less than one dozen of a kind, hence please don't cause trouble by ordering three or six plants of this or that variety or kind, except as noted.

ANCHUSA MYOSOTIDIFLORA

(The Forget-Me-Not Anchusa)

A charming plant with the exquisite blue flowers of Forget-Me-Nots and large heart-shaped basal leaves. A clump of this beautiful plant is about a foot high, as much across, and a more beautiful subject for the cool rock garden or the border is not easy to find. Divided plants, 35c, by parcel post; larger, each 50c, by express, charges collect, \$5.00 per dozen, and smaller clumps \$2.50 per dozen.

AQUILEGIA BLUE ROCKY MOUNTAIN

The finest Columbine extant, grown only from genuine Rocky Mountain seeds. All will bloom next season. Plants, 25c each. Large specimen clumps, 50c each postpaid, or 40c by express, charges collect.

DIELYTRA SPECTABILIS (Bleeding Heart)

BIG CLUMPS, 60c each, for September and October delivery; have to be sent by express. Smaller, 40c by mail. Can also be planted in very early spring, but not after March 15.

DICTAMNUS — GAS PLANT

One of the choicest and most valuable of perennials. The flower of Dictamnus resembles an immense Dutch Hyacinth. Blooms in May, when lovers of flowers are hunting new and out of the ordinary plants for their gardens.

Dictamnus is valuable because beautiful, in bloom early and because it never winter-kills. The average life of Dictamnus is 100 years.

Grows about 2 to 2½ feet high, bearing lemon-scented hyacinth-shaped flowers during May and June, with rich durable foliage. Crushing the latter creates some sort of a gas, which can be lighted with a match.

TWO COLORS, White and Rosy Red. You will love this plant. Two-year-old field grown clumps of either color, 25c and 40c each, postpaid.

GEUM, AVENS (Family: Rosaceae)

GEUM BORIS. A charming low growing geum developed some years ago by King Boris of Bulgaria, a great plant lover. We have grown it for several years and like it better every year. It is the most persistent bloomer in our garden, starting early in the spring and keeping it up until the flowers are killed by frosts. A charming plant for the rock garden, growing only 15 inches high with glowing orange scarlet flowers. Strong blooming plants 35c each, 3 for \$1.00, postpaid.

G. "FIRE OPAL" (New). A variety of exceptional merit with handsome semi-double flowers over 2½ inches, brilliant scarlet overlaid bronze. 2 feet. Strong blooming plants 35c each, 3 for \$1.00, postpaid.

GYPSOPHILA "BRISTOL FAIRY"

GYPSOPHILA "BRISTOL FAIRY". The finest, largest and double Baby's Breath; hardy perennial. Large roots that will produce immense flower heads that you can sell throughout the summer as cut flowers. 40c each; mammoth roots 75c each, postpaid.

GYPSOPHILA PACIFICA. The new rose-pink hardy perennial Baby's Breath. Height 4 feet. Strong blooming roots, 25c and 40c each.

GYPSOPHILAS do best in rather dry places and not too rich soil, and like plenty of lime.

LARGE 2-YEAR-OLD DELPHINIUM PLANTS

Best sent by express where each package is handled individually—not stuffed in canvas bags.

PRIZE WINNER STRAIN. DELIVERY IN SEPTEMBER and OCTOBER. If you plant too late in the fall, clumps are liable to get winter killed and we cannot be held responsible. Price 50c and 75c each, postpaid, or \$5.00 and \$7.50 per dozen by express, charges collect.

SPECIAL CHOICE PLANTS, \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.50 each. The finer they are the more they cost. It is not so much a matter of size here—quality counts. Give your preference in colors.

For sale again in February and March, but this size cannot be shipped from our climate later than March 15th. If you cannot plant by that time, you will have to buy small seedlings for April delivery at 60c and 75c per doz. These will bloom a little in the fall—not in July.

LILY OF THE VALLEY

These lovely flowers are too well known to require a description. Strong field-grown clumps for immediate effect, 40c each; \$4.00 per doz. Single pips, 50c per doz. postpaid; \$3 per 100 by express, charges collect. Either fall or very early spring planting; will succeed best in the shade or northern exposure.

THE GORGEOUS ORIENTAL POPPIES

For best results these roots should be planted in August or early part of September before they start into their fall growth. Spring time is the wrong time.

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Over 100 Garden Clubs throughout the states showed our colored Delphinium and flower slides last year; there are some 35 of them in a set, including a little talk on the cultivation of Delphiniums, thrown on the screen and read aloud by the operator; there is also other reading matter, the whole making it a sort of an illustrated lecture. Time required for showing, about 30 to 45 minutes. We have three sets going all the time, and it is well to make application three to four weeks ahead of your meeting. Each club must pay the transportation charges of the slides to the next place, which average about \$1.50 each way—nearby points much less. They must be promptly returned. Any loss or breakage must be guaranteed to be paid for at \$1.50 per slide (the actual cost).



JAPANESE IRIS SEEDS

These Irises are very easily raised from seeds and, unlike German Iris seeds, they germinate well and quickly. Fall-sown seeds will give you nice plants by spring and some of these will bloom the second autumn; all will bloom the second year. Spring-sown seeds will give you large blooming sized clumps the following year. Raising these beautiful Iris seeds, never knowing what wonderful prizes you will draw, is a most charming and fascinating garden game. If you have never raised Japanese Iris, try it by all means.

Best Selected Seeds, $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 35c; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 60c; oz. \$2.00; pkt. 15c.

JAPANESE IRIS CULTURE

Reginald Farrer says that there is nothing in the garden like Japanese Iris for arrogance, subtlety and sheer insolence of beauty. This is precisely the effect conveyed when one sees Japanese Irises in large masses. When a few plants are found on the banks of a stream, they have more of piquancy and less of boldness. They are the most striking flowers of July, and not so difficult to grow as the average gardener supposes.

It is not true that Japanese Irises must have bogland or even water in which to bathe their roots. They love moisture, but will flourish in any good garden soil if water is applied in abundance and if the exposure is sunny. The latter point is important. It is useless trying to grow Japanese Irises in a shady spot. Sunlight and moisture are the two requisites for success with these plants.

The best time to set out Irises of this type or to divide and transplant those already in the garden is in late July or early August. Orders for new plants should be put in immediately. Let it be remembered that this type of Iris takes an entirely different treatment from the Bearded Iris. Instead of being planted almost on the surface of the ground, the crowns should be buried two inches.

Peat can be added to advantage to soil where Japanese Irises are to go. Unlike the bearded Irises, which delight in lime, the Japanese forms prefer a soil which is somewhat acid. Lime should never be used with them. It is also important that the ground be kept well cultivated, never being allowed to become hard or dry. A summer mulch of pulverized peat lessens the amount of hoeing necessary and helps to hold the moisture.

The location should be one where the drainage is good, even though it be close by a pond. These Irises like to have their roots reach water in summer, but stagnant water must not stand around the clumps, and it is imperative that they should not be caked over with ice in winter.

Japanese Irises must have plenty of room, and must never have competition from weeds or grass. If they are used in a general garden away from water, a spot should be prepared for them by digging out a foot of earth, and working in an abundance of well-rotted cow manure. If the earth is at all heavy, set the divided clump on a little mound of sand. When winter comes a light mulch will be needed.

There is only one way in which to get an abundance of large flowers, and that is to supply water with a generous hand during the spring before the buds open. Water and water alone will make big blooms. In gardens where the situation is unusually favorable, the Japanese plants are sometimes entirely submerged once or twice in the spring, the water being drained off after a day or two.

Owing to large sales last fall our own numbered seedlings will be taken off the market for two years in order to allow us to work up a large stock again.



OF SPECIAL INTEREST TO JAPANESE IRIS LOVERS. We imported last fall several hundred of the finest named Iris from Japan. It remains to be seen just which are finer than what we have now. They should bloom this coming July. We will be obliged to grow these on for two years before the law allows us to sell any. If you happen to be in our neighborhood the last of June drop in and take a look at them, as well as the other named varieties which we grow and our own re-selected seedlings.

JAPANESE IRISES will thrive in any part of the United States; they are hardy and much more beautiful than the Germanica group. If you have never grown them, you have missed a lot. They are fine for cut flowers. You can plant them in the early spring or in the fall with equal success.

OUR SEEDLING No. 220. An extra tall free bloomer, three immense petals of a deep blue heavily veined on a white ground with yellow centers. 35c, plus postage (see below).

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KOMACHI. (Sgl.) Deep dark velvety blue, with very small deep orange bars covered by blue style arms. Each 35c, plus postage (see below).

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